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10. John Swearingen Director of Information
Systems, Subcommittee on Computer Services, Senate Committee on Rules and
Administration, called concerning the interest of Jim Kronfeld, Staff
Counsel, Subcommittee on Government Information and Individual Rights,
House Government Operations Committee, to review the June 1970 special
report of the Interagency Committee on Intelligence (ad hoc) which is
classified Top Secret-Handle Via Comint Channels, which Swearingen is cus-
todian of by virtue of transfer of the files and records of the Senat Select
Compatible Presidential Campaign Activities to the Rules and Administration
Committee. 1 refreshed Swearingen with our conversation of 27 June on
the location of a sanitized version of this document in the published hearings
of the House Judiciary Committee, but Swearingen said this apparently has
not satisfied Kronfeld and he will have to discuss the matter with Chairman
Howard W. Cannon (D., Nevada) and in that connection would like guidance
from us on the question of authorizing Kronfeld access to the document. I
reminded Swearingen that this document appears to be subject to the exchange
of letters between Senators Cannon and Frank Church (D., Idaho) strictly
limiting access to certain sensitive information; that the document is in a
compartmented field and Kronfeld would have to possess the appropriate
clearances; and, finally, the Agency would not be the sole judge since the
document was issued and classified by an interagency group. However, in
view of Swearingen's need to seek guidance from Senator Cannon on this issue,
I promised to have the matter reviewed and that we would give him the benefit
of our advice.
11. Called Harry Nicholas, Administrative
Assistant to Representative Barber B. Conable (R., N.Y.), in response to
his earlier call on behalf of a constituent concerned about the alleged
assassination of Trujillo and demanding the names of those involved in the
episode. I reviewed with Nicholas the various statements on this general
subject including those of the President, the Rockefeller Commission and
Senator Frank Church (D., Idaho), which Nicholas felt would be helpful in
attempting to close out this matter.
Received a call from Clark McFadden, General Counsel, Senate Armed Services Committee, who requested two copies of
Counsel, Senate Armed Services Committee, who requested two copies of
Mr. Colby's prepared statement which he gave before the CIA Subcommittee
of Senate Armed Services Committee on 16 January 1975. I made arrangements
for the statements to be delivered to McFadden along with the NIDs the
following morning. This was agreeable with McFadden.

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